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IN THE UNITED STATES  
PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): Damon Brink  
Serial No.: 10/621,434  
Filed: 7/16/03  
Title: Metal Laminate Structures...  
Docket No.: 00INT2C

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Examiner: L. Edmondson  
GAU: 1725

June 15, 2007  
Santa Barbara, CA

PETITION FOR REVIVAL OF AN APPLICATION FOR PATENT ABANDONED  
UNINTENTIONALLY UNDER 37 CFR 1.137(b)

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450  
Attn.: MAIL STOP PETITIONS

Sir:

1. Applicant petitions for the revival of the above-identified application and acceptance of the enclosed Petition Fee, Request for Continued Examination (RCE), and RCE Filing Fee.
2. Nature of abandonment.

In an office communication from the USPTO dated 1/31/06, Applicant received a Office Action finally rejecting the above-captioned application. Upon receipt of the aforesaid Office Action, the bring-up was properly docketed for response, but, due to changes in management of the Assignee, the undersigned was unable to receive an instruction to reply to the Office Action. Accordingly, the undersigned was unable to file a timely response within the statutory extended period for response.

3. The delay was unintentional.

The entire delay in filing the required reply, from the date of abandonment, 7/31/06, to the date of the present petition, was unintentional. Upon further changes in management at the Assignee, the undersigned received an instruction to revive and continue prosecution of this

application. In response to the instruction, the undersigned immediately located the outstanding Office Action and prepared and filed this petition, together with the required petition Fee and a response to the outstanding Office Action.

4. Terminal disclaimer

Abandonment took place on July 31, 2006. It is not believed that a Terminal Disclaimer is required inasmuch as the term of the patent, if issued, will expire on the 20<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the earliest claimed filing date. In the event that the Commissioner requires such a Terminal Disclaimer, Applicant will provide one.

5. Status of Applicant

This application is on behalf of Damon Brink, the inventor and Applicant, a small business entity. The application is assigned to Intri-plex Technologies, LLC, a small entity. A verified statement was filed concurrently with the Application and the status remains the same.

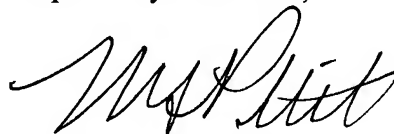
8. Fee payment

A check in the sum of \$1145.00 is attached. The check should be credited as follows:  
\$750 Petition Fee (Small Entity) plus \$395 for the RCE filing fee.

9. Conclusion

This Application should be held as Unintentionally Abandoned, the Notice of Abandonment withdrawn, and the enclosed Petition Fee and the enclosed RCE and Amendment entered and accepted.

Respectfully submitted,



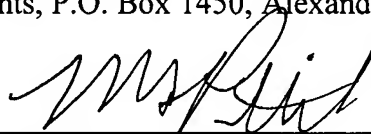
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Date: June 18, 2007

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Michael G. Petit